

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 7, line 6 to Page 8, line 6, replace the paragraph with the following amended paragraph.

Fig. 1 shows a lid 1 in relation to a package neck 15, 2, which package neck 15, 2 comprises outer convolutions/threads 12. The lid 1 is shown in section and comprises a cylindrical collar 3 having an annular bead/screw part 4 which is formed on the inner face of the collar and projects radially from it, and which preferably extends from the lower termination face of the collar 3. The opposite end of the collar 3 ends in a top part 6 which is essentially formed as a plane face in integral connection with the collar 3. In the lid, a loose, circular plate (planar) called the inner lid 5 is positioned, whose diameter essentially corresponds to the diameter of the collar 3 and is larger than the external diameter of the package neck. A projection 13 in the form of a cylindrical or box-shaped pin extends from the inner face of the collar 3, and this projection 13 has an extent such that it extends into the peripheral part of the inner lid 5, *i.e.*, from the edge and a small distance from it, preferably 1-3 mm, where the free end 7 of the projection ends. The projection 13 may be shaped as a cylinder or as a decidedly plane face, the essential point being that it has a small contact area so that when the lid is removed and the venting function is released, the force must be distributed over as small an area as possible, thereby achieving partly a great moment, partly a great pressure at the place concerned. Additional

projections 14 may be arranged in the lid, and these additional projections 14 are all positioned at a greater distance from the inner lid 5 than the active projections 13, the purpose of the additional projections 14 exclusively being to ensure that the inner lid does not drop out. The additional projections 14 are essentially shaped like the projections 13.